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SOUTH BUFFALO LAKE

(Intended for last week)

Earl Estell was out trying his automobile in the snow last Sunday. He says, it's fine but cold.

John Sorum made a trip to Tees by team, the first of the week.

Robert Herniman, of Lidgerwood, N. D., is visiting his parents, John Herniman and wife, and other relatives.

G. J. Estell made a flying trip to Alix on Wednesday.

M. O. Sorum, wife and son, Marion, left on Monday for an extended visit to the States. Wilfrid Graham will attend to the work around the farm during their absence.

C. W. Pemberton and Charles Cockler killed six coyotes one day last week. Let the good work go on, boys.

Those who attended the Mirror Board of Trade banquet, from South Buffalo Lake, report a fine time. Let the next one be soon.

J. H. Sorum and wife met with an accident while on their way to the banquet given by the Mirror Board of Trade last

Friday night. One of the horses slipped and fell on the pole breaking it into pieces. They enjoyed a walk home in the moonlight, instead of the banquet.

Quite a few people from this district attended the Yerbergh auction sale.

Master Percy Fell killed a coyote with a club one day last week.

There are a lot of wild ducks on Tall Creek these days.

South Buffalo Lake, Dec. 18.

AROUND THE DISTRICT.

Dr. Mooney, of Alix, spent Christmas in Edmonton.

Another pool room will be opened in Alix on New Year's Day.

Mr. Scotland of Content, is building a new branch store at Nevis.

The Toffled Silver Seven hockey team trimmed the Camrose Septette by 11 goals to 5 on Christmas day.

Mr. Christie, manager of the Union Bank, Alix, journeyed to Calgary to spend Christmas. Mr. Russell, of Quebec Bank, was also in Calgary for his Christmas holiday.

Dr. Armstrong & Mooney
Physicians and Surgeons
Office at Bisset's Drug Store
TUESDAYS AND SATURDAYS
MIRROR, ALTA.

ESTRAY.

A red yearling steer came to my place about the 15th of June. Branded U 7
E. H. Jesse,
5. Lamerton, Alta.

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Strayed on to the premises of Thomas Ferlin, NW 31-41-22-24th, one 3 or 4 year-old Red Steer, droop horns, branded H 4 C on left ribs. On premises since November 1st, 1910.
N. A. Donaldson,
64 Broad Road.

Y. CLARKE
BLACKSMITH
HORSE-SHOEING
AND
REPAIR WORK
LAMERTON, ALTA.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Happy New Year.

Don't forget to date your correspondence 1912.

Chas. Roy ate his Christmas turkey with relatives in Edmonton.

Start the new year right by subscribing for THE JOURNAL. Only \$1.00 a year.

Ross Steele has taken a sit on THE JOURNAL staff, holding the position of "devil."

Robert Williams, of Bashaw, spent Christmas Day at the home of Jas. and Mrs. Steers.

E. E. and Mrs. Johnston and family were visitors with friends in Dorellee during the past week.

J. H. Lyall, of the Bank of Commerce, spent Christmas under the parental roof in Edmonton.

WANTED—At once—good fat calves and calves. Apply, The Quality Meat Market for prices, etc., Mirror, Alta.

FOR SALE—Office, two rooms, Lake Street. Apply, DUTMAN & JOHNSON, Mirror, Alta.

J. T. McKie, manager of the Settlers Lumber Co. yards in Mirror, spent the Christmas holidays at his home in Calgary.

Jas. Steele, who is attending the Alberta Business College, Edmonton, and Reg. Steele, of Scott, spent Christmas with their parents, Jas. and Mrs. Steele, Mirror.

The dance given by the Woodmen Lodge of Lamerton, Xmas night, was a great success, although many were away for the Christmas holidays. All who attended report a fine time.

E. Coleman and Jim Kadles donated a box of cigars to each of the stay-at-homes, during the Christmas holidays. They are a good brand of smokes, and the recipients appreciated the gift. Thanks.

You are wanted at the New Year's Dance to be held in Johnston's pool hall on the evening of Jan. 1st. The dance is under the auspices of the Mirror Board of Trade, and this fact alone, should be a guarantee of a good time. An invitation is extended to all.

A valuable mare belonging to Francis Tulloch dropped dead last Friday while hauling a load of coal from the mines at Nevis. The mare weighed 1450 pounds and was one of a team that Mr. Tulloch prized very much, and was worth about \$400. Tom Tate was in charge at the time.

THE JOURNAL has made arrangements to take subscriptions for the Montreal Star and Family Herald. This is one of the best weekly papers in Canada; a premium picture "Home Again" goes with the paper. \$1.75 pays for the two, together with one year's subscription to THE MIRROR JOURNAL.

Beginning with the issue of Jan. 12th, 1912, a new story will run in THE JOURNAL, entitled "One Vay Out." In commenting on this story, James L. Ford, in the New York Herald, says: "One of the most convincing and interesting books that I have read in many a long day, and, in my opinion, it is bound to be widely read and thoughtfully discussed."

1912

Board of Trade dance New Year's night, 1912.

J. H. Duitman spent Christmas with his relatives at Bawlf, Alta.

G. A. Ross, who is managing the Bank of Toronto branch here during J. H. Steele's absence, was a Xmas visitor to his home in Edmonton.

Norman Harrington, of the Imperial Bank, Edmonton, was a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. N. H. G. Ruthven on Sunday and Monday. The gentlemen are cousins.

The new Board of Trade officers will assume office at the next regular meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 2, 1912. Meeting will be held in Duitman & Johnson's Hardware Store.

THORNE-PETERSON

The marriage of Miss Mabel Peterson to Mr. J. W. Thorne took place in Toffled at 2 o'clock yesterday (Wednesday) afternoon. The bride is a daughter of Mr. Peterson, South of Mirror, and the groom is one of the most popular conductors on the main line of the G. T. P. Mr. and Mrs. Thorne will reside in Wainwright, where they will have the good wish of all for a long and happy life together.

The Lamerton, the organist Church was the scene of an enjoyable entertainment last Saturday evening, when Santa Claus lived up to his reputation and filled many hearts with gladness by his gifts. The Xmas Tree was gaily hung with bells and fancy decorations, and contained presents galore. Rev. Mr. McIntosh occupied the chair while Geo. Peterson played the role of Santa. A program of songs, recitations, etc., was given by local and Mirror talent.

GOOD THRESHING RECORD

W. G. Merkle called in at THE JOURNAL office last Saturday on his return from threshing operations East of Ponoka, and reports a good season.

Mr. Merkle started work on Oct. 7, and during the entire time, only missed five days' threshing on account of cold weather and break downs. The number of bushels threshed totaled 9375. The wheat crop ran from 28 to 52 bushels to the acre, while oats turned out from 45 to 78 bushels per acre. Mr. Merkle will continue his work in the country to the south of Mirror just as long as the weather permits.

MASONIC BANQUET AT ALIX

Over one hundred and forty people sat down to the dinner in Todd's Hall, Alix, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 27th, when the members of Ionic Lodge, No. 45, A. F. & A. M., were the hosts of the occasion. The tables were tastefully decorated and the eatables, prepared by the Grand Hotel, were all that could be desired. At the conclusion of the dinner the hall was cleared for dancing, which with cards held all away until the early hours of the morning.

A four-piece orchestra from Wetaskiwin supplied the music. During the evening a Past Master's Jewel was presented to P. M. Bro. T. R. Mitchell, by Bro. H. W. Panrucker, and short speeches were made by different members.

Those who attended from Mirror and district were: Bro. J. W. Cairns and wife; Bro. H. W. Williams and wife; Bro. W. G. MacCormack, wife and son; Bro. Jas. Steers, wife and Miss Mabel; Bro. Buelow and wife; Mr. and Mrs. N. H. G. Ruthven; Bro. Jas. Steele; Mrs. Bashaw, and Eddy, of Bashaw; J. H. Lyall; Bro. Jas. Brindle and wife.

DAILY MAIL SERVICE

Although nothing definite can be learned regarding the daily mail service (except Sunday) to be established on the Toffled-Mirror line, it is quite probable that the service will commence the first of the year. The contract for the carrying of mail from Alix to Lamerton and Mirror, expires the last of this month, and no steps have been taken to renew it. Tenders for the carrying of mail twelve times per week between the Mirror post office and the G. T. P. station, and to start on Jan. 1st, 1912, closed on Nov. 10th.

The Toffled Standard of last week says: "The mail service on Toffled-Camrose-Mirror G. T. P. branch line is expected to start at an early date."

The change from a semi-weekly to a daily service will be a valuable one, and will be greatly appreciated by the citizens as well as the farming community generally.

LEAP YEAR

The incoming year will be Leap Year, and the beautiful young man (like the editor) may be subjugated (?) to numerous proposals from the opposite sex. There are many eligible bachelors in this town, who are patiently waiting to be consulted on the momentous question of marriage, and the girls had better get their orders in early, before the pick of the flock are spoken for. As for ourselves, we have no objections to acting the part of "dister," and will be only too glad to furnish the names of clients, who are guaranteed for a life time. Come early and avoid the rush—all same Christmas shopping.

All kinds of job printing—THE JOURNAL.

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H. L. Staples,
MANAGER

Mirror Hotel

Opposite G. T. P. Station.
W. H. STUMPF, PROPRIETOR.
First Class Meals
Soft Drinks - Cigars - Tobaccos - etc.

NOW IS THE TIME

Let's not talk so much about what we are going to do by and by, but use some of that surplus energy now, and do something. You and I can do that to make Mirror a good town, but none of us can do much singly or in opposition to others. There must be no strifes, no jealousies if we are going to prosper together and make the very best of our opportunities. We must be glad of the success of each other and help each other. That is just what is being done in the towns that forge ahead the fastest.

Mirror, Alta.

A Divisional Point on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, situated 111 miles South of Edmonton, and 123 miles North of Calgary.

BOARD OF TRADE—1912

President—J. F. FLEMING;
Vice-President—J. H. DUTMAN;
Treasurer—N. H. G. RUTHVEN;
Secretary—H. L. STAPLES;
Asst. Secretary—W. J. GOOD.
Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday in each month.

POST OFFICE

A. THOMAS, Postmaster
Mail closes at 12:15 p. m., every Tuesday and Friday, for Outside Points.
Mail arrives 8:00 p. m., every Tuesday and Friday.
The above semi-weekly service will be changed shortly to a daily service.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

G. T. P. - P. L. HARPER, Agent.
Train No. 11, Passenger Daily, going North, leaves at 7:00 a. m., arrives Edmonton at 12:35 p. m. Connects with Train No. 2 at Toffled, going East.
Extra, Mixed, local, going North, leaves at 7 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
Train No. 12, Passenger Daily, arrives 10:45 p. m. Leaves Edmonton at 5:05 p. m., making connections at Toffled with Train No. 1, from the East.
Extra, Mixed, local, arrives at 6 p. m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Auction Sales

I am prepared to Cry Auction Sales in any part of Alberta. Reasonable Terms and Satisfactory Settlements Guaranteed.

Chas. W. Frederick,
AUCTIONEER AND REALTY AGENT
ALIX, ALTA.

The Mirror Board of Trade

A Dance under the auspices of the above will be given in Johnston's Pool Room, on

DANCE

New
Year's
Night

Gentlemen \$1.00; Ladies Free. Refreshments. Woodmen Orchestra.

Wishing One and All a Happy and Prosperous New Year

SUGGETT BROS.,
JEWELLERS, OPTICIANS and DRUGGISTS.

The Infallible Charm

A Halloween Story.

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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It was a dark night, for there was no moon on this Halloween, and the bare, rugged trees of the street trees rubbed creakingly in the slight wind that came from the south.

The big clock in the tower bell struck the three quarters after 11, and as the chime died away Eve Parman slipped out of her pretty white robe and stole to the window. All she could see was a black wall of darkness, but she could hear the creak of the lowest tree and the gentle sighing of the south wind.

Eve shuddered a little at the idea of going out into that black void all alone, for she was timid at night. She always carried part of the darkness of the hall, and the shadows on the stairways and the dark corners of the room. The rumbling old house afforded many shadows and eerie corners, and Eve had never outgrown her little girl terrors, much to the amusement of the rest of the family.

But Eve was eighteen now, and she had been reading old romances until her pretty head was full of terrible ladies and gallant knights and their deeds of love and daring. As no romance had entered the mind of her life, Eve Parman had refused to set out on Halloween alone, throwing fire in the wind, gave the spirits of Halloween an opportunity to get her in the palm of romance.

The rest of the household was asleep for Eve's mother had never given a thought to the possibilities of the merry eve. Mr. Parman had removed the chairs from the hall so that no one would be hurt by them, and the public square he had also removed.

It was nearly dawn, for her eyes made no attempt to see. It appeared that she was as sure as the moon that the encounter was Eve herself, and she was quicker to react to the possibility of the night.

"Oh, no, you are tempting the fate, Lucinda," he said, and she could. Lucinda had a voice like a true siren.

A hand caught her thick golden hair and held her prisoner. "See, he's back and you have him," she said. "I'm afraid," she said, and she held it before her sister, Lucinda, who was sitting on the floor.

The match fell from his fingers and his hand of her hair was released. "Oh, I love your picture," he said, and she was sitting on the floor.

"I was surprised," she said, and she was sitting on the floor.

There was an interruption at the end of the sentence, and Eve found herself expelling, rapidly, "It's Halloween."

"I'm sorry," she said, and she was sitting on the floor.

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The Cheever Twins

They Were Ouwited In Their Practical Jokes.

By CHARLOTTE PERKINS.

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When the Cheever twins chose to dress exactly alike, when they shared their misadventures and when they exchanged the gold and silver of their diamonds, then their tricks could not tell them apart, much to the mirth of the most ardent conditions, but they were very anxious to make the two women who knew them best they believed accordingly.

"But you must know," she said, as they looked toward the door, "that you must know."

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Miss Macgregor

And Her Nonresistant Principles.

By A. MITCHELL.

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Miss Macgregor was a Scotch lady, who came over to America from Glasgow in colonial days. Miss Macgregor at the time the events related in this story occurred was sixty years old, four feet seven inches high and her hair was snowy white. There was much in the sturdy maiden's appearance to indicate that she was a woman of her word.

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MIRROR, ALTA., DEC. 28, 1911

THE PANAMA CANAL

The building of the Panama Canal will mean more to Western Canada, and particularly to British Columbia, than at first thought would seem to be the case. It will bring again in a certain sense, the resumption of the sea traffic between the states and provinces of the Atlantic and the Pacific, the day of transcontinental railroads this traffic followed the long route around the Horn, and the first train that crossed the continent rang the death-knell of its importance as a factor in the commercial life of the North American continent.

In two or three years this ocean traffic will be resumed, but under widely changed conditions. The length of the route will be reduced by perhaps three-quarters and the most dangerous portion eliminated. During the years which have passed while the railroads have enjoyed the monopoly of transcontinental traffic, great changes have taken place in the type of craft used in the carrying of freight by sea. It will be a decidedly different matter sending freight around the Horn on board of one of the sailing ships of the great fleet which plied those stormy waters and shipping it to the west coast of the United States or Canada by means of one of the fine type of freight and passenger steamers which will ply between Philadelphia and San Francisco and Victoria. In a commercial and financial sense the cities of the west coast will be much nearer the eastern cities, and railroads will experience the tonic qualities of that competition which is said to be the life of trade.

Already the city of Victoria is taking up with the Dominion Government the question of making costly and extensive improvements in her harbor facilities with a view to being ready for the opening of the canal with the great increase which will immediately take place in marine business in consequence. Already at least two large companies have announced plans which will mean the building and placing in commission of a number of fine steamers to ply between Pacific and Atlantic ports.

The possibilities, in a commercial sense, of the carrying out of this great project cannot yet be estimated. That it will mean much to the Province of British Columbia and to the West in general is already a well recognized fact in the business world of this part of the country.

THE TREATING HABIT

That the treating habit is one of the causes of excessive drink-

ing of intoxicating liquors in this country has long been apparent to all who are interested in the drink question, says the Chicago Record-Herald. It is, therefore, a matter of public concern that the National German-American Alliance has adopted a resolution calling upon its executive committee to present to the next biennial convention a practical plan of abolishing the custom of treating at public bars. The treating habit in most cases is born of generosity or a desire to appear generous. It results in several men taking several drinks each, because each thinks he cannot afford to be thought mean or stingy. To bring into use the "Dutch treat," as the Alliance proposes, may be difficult, but it ought to be brought into use if possible. In Europe the custom is for each man to pay for what he drinks only, and as a result intoxication in public houses is rare.

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With a view to interesting investors, merchants and home-seekers in the opportunities now open for new enterprises, the Grand Trunk Pacific Land department are doing some extensive advertising, calling attention to some of the attractively located townsite properties along its right of way. The business openings, so it is stated, are such as should appeal to wholesalers and retailers; and specific mention is made of such lines of business as restaurants, hotels, general stores, lumber yards, barber-shops, billiard and pool rooms, bowling alleys, hardware stores, blacksmith shops, livery stables, etc.

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Here is a puzzle that puzzles everybody: Take the number of your living brothers, double the amount, add to it three, multiply result by five add to it the number of your living sister, multiply the result by ten, add the number of deaths of brothers and subtract 150 from the result. The right figure will be the number of deaths, the middle will be the number of living sisters and the left will show the number of living brothers. Try it and see.

The proof-reader on a small western daily was a woman of great precision and extreme propriety, says the Ladies' Home Journal. One day a reporter succeeded in getting into type an item about "Will Brown, the boy who was burned in the west-end by a live wire." On the following day the reporter found on his desk a frigid note asking: "Which is the west end of a boy?" It took only an instant to reply: "The end the son sits on, of course."

A few years ago Frank Butterworth was in the football line

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Although the Canadian Highway Association has only been in existence a little over a month, the work it has accomplished in this short space of time is conclusive proof that the organization will be an important factor in the development of this country by the building of good roads.

Letters of encouragement have been received by the office from many cities in the east, and from Hazelton, Dawson and Alberni, the terminus of the proposed Canadian Highway.

Alberni was visited recently by a travelling representative of the Canadian Highway Association, who found every business man in that town in hearty sympathy with the objects of the association. Nanaimo and Victoria have also been canvassed and each city has added considerably to the strength of the membership of this body.

W. W. Foster, Deputy Minister of Public Works, B. C., in a letter to W. S. Kerr, President of the Association, outlines the following route as the most practicable for the construction of British Columbia's portion of the Canadian Highway: Alberni to Victoria, via Nanaimo, Vancouver, Westminster, Hope, Princeton, Roseland, thence to Trail, crossing the Columbia by the new bridge now in course of erection, and via Summit Creek, along the old Dewdney Trail to Creston, thence following the main Trunk Road into Alberta.

While this route cannot be considered final until all the reports from the surveyors and engineers have been submitted to the Department of Public Works, it is not likely that any important deviation will be made.

By his reference in his speech from the throne at the opening of the House of Commons on November 16, His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught put the stamp of Royal approval on the plan to construct a Canadian Highway that will stretch from coast to coast. His intimation that the Federal and Provincial Government would work hand in hand with a view to improving the highways of Canada has already been of great assistance to the men who are taking an active

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